

1 **CLAIMS:**

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3 What is claimed is:

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5 1. A scenting device for use with an airflow conduit, comprising
6 a first member having a scent;
7 a frame enclosing said first member at a periphery thereof; and
8 an attaching means on said frame for attaching the device to the airflow conduit.

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10 2. The device of Claim 1, wherein said first member is porous.

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12 3. The device of Claim 1, wherein said scent is applied to said first member by
13 immersing said first member in a liquid composition having said scent and upon withdrawal of
14 the first member, said liquid solidifying upon said first member.

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16 4. The device of Claim 1, wherein said first member is a fibrous material such as fiber
17 glass.

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19 5. The device of Claim 1, wherein said first member is comprised of a first layer and a
20 second layer and at least a scenting element is maintained between said first layer and said
21 second layer upon installation of said frame.

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23 6. The device of Claim 5, wherein said scenting element is spherical.

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2 7. The device of Claim 1, wherein said attaching means is selected from a group
3 consisting of as hook and loop fasteners, "S" hook fasteners, pins, barbs, clips, clamps,
4 adhesives, and tapes.

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6 8. The device of Claim 1, wherein said attaching means is connected to an air filter
7 within said airflow conduit selected from a group consisting of at least a heating, an air
8 conditioning, and ventilating system.

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10 9. The device of Claim 1, wherein said attaching means is a mounting means is a
11 substantially "U" shaped member having an inwardly opening groove of sufficient size to
12 accommodate said frame in a slidingly removable manner.

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14 10. The device of Claim 9, wherein said attaching means is placed on the mounting
15 means and the mounting means is thereby attached to an air flow conduit.

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17 11. The device of Claim 1, wherein said attaching means removably attaches said device
18 to an airflow based dryer means.

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20 12. The device of Claim 11, wherein said air flow based dyer means is a blow dryer.

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22 13. The device of Claim 10, wherein said mounting means is attached to a vent having a
23 plurality of slotted openings such that said first member is maintained over said plurality of

1 slotted openings.

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3 14. A scenting device adapted for use in a heating, air conditioning, and ventilating
4 system, the device comprising:

5 a first member having a scent;

6 a frame enclosing said first member at a periphery thereof; and

7 a mounting means removably receiving said frame therein, and said mounting means
8 having an attaching means for attachment thereof to the heating, air conditioning, and ventilating
9 system.

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11 15. The device of Claim 14, wherein said mounting means is substantially "U" shaped
12 and has an inwardly opening groove of sufficient depth to accommodate said frame in a slidingly
13 removable manner.

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15 16. The device of Claim 14, wherein mounting means is substantially rigid.

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17 17. The device of Claim 14, wherein said frame is made of a substantially rigid material
18 selected from a group consisting of cardboard and plastic.

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20 18. The device of Claim 14, wherein said first member is substantially porous to allow
21 airflow therethrough.

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23 19. In combination, a scenting device having a scented, porous first member enclosed by

1 a frame around a periphery thereof, and a vent cover for receiving the scenting device;
2 the vent cover further comprising a front surface, said front surface defining a plurality of
3 slotted openings therein;
4 a peripheral wall extending in a rearward direction from said front surface;
5 an aperture being defined on a portion of said peripheral wall;
6 whereby said aperture is adapted to receive the scenting device in a removable, yet
7 secure, manner such that the frame occludes the aperture when the scenting device is installed.

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9 20. The combination of claim 19, wherein the vent cover further comprises at least a
10 retaining means that traverses across substantially opposing portions of said wall such that the
11 scenting device is maintained between the front surface and said retaining means.

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